

## SENATE BILL No. 542

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### DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 12-15-1.3-18.

**Synopsis:** Medicaid payments for dialysis treatment. Requires the office of Medicaid policy and planning to apply to the United States Department of Health and Human Services for a Medicaid state plan amendment or demonstration waiver to provide kidney dialysis treatment for undocumented immigrants who have been diagnosed with end stage renal disease.

**Effective:** July 1, 2015.

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January 14, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on Health & Provider Services.

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First Regular Session 119th General Assembly (2015)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning Medicaid.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 12-15-1.3-18 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA  
2 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS  
3 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015]: **Sec. 18. (a) The office shall apply to**  
4 **the United States Department of Health and Human Services for**  
5 **any necessary amendment to the state Medicaid plan or necessary**  
6 **demonstration waiver to provide kidney dialysis treatments,**  
7 **including outpatient maintenance dialysis, for undocumented**  
8 **immigrants who have been diagnosed with end stage renal disease.**  
9 (b) The office may not implement the amendment or waiver  
10 until the office files an affidavit with the governor attesting that the  
11 amendment or waiver applied for under this section is in effect.  
12 The office shall file the affidavit under this subsection not more  
13 than five (5) days after the office is notified that the amendment or  
14 waiver is approved.  
15 (c) If the office receives approval for the amendment or waiver  
16 under this section from the United States Department of Health



1     **and Human Services and the governor receives the affidavit filed**  
2     **under subsection (b), the office shall implement the amendment or**  
3     **waiver not more than sixty (60) days after the governor receives**  
4     **the affidavit.**

5     **(d) The office may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to implement**  
6     **this section.**

